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MANILLA HATS, all grades, cheap—$2.50 to $3.50.

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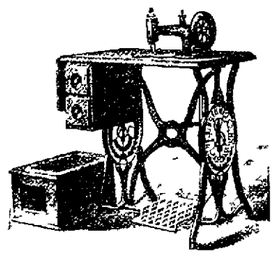

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June 28, 1882—d&wtf

"Auld Robin Gray."

Lady Annie Lindsay spent much of her time in her little room in the high, winding staircase, "which commanded the sea, the lake, the rock, the birds, the beach," poring over old volumes or scribbling verse or prose on the "envelopes of old letters." One day a fancy took her to write new words to a Scottish air which Sophy Johnston (the "child of nature") used to sing, the old ones being unsuited to the plaintive beauty, and in the course of her attempt she came to a standstill. Calling to her sister Elizabeth, who was at play hard by, she said "I have been writing a ballad, my dear I am oppressing my heroine with many misfortunes I have sent her Jennie to sea and broken her father's arm, and made her mother fall sick, and given her Auld Robin Gray for a lover, but I wish to load her with a fifth sorrow in the four lines, poor thing! Help me to one, I pray!" "Steal the cow, Sister Anne," said little Elizabeth The cow was hitched and the ballad completed But although willing to sing it whenever asked—and when once sung it passed electrically from heart to heart and lip to lip, until soon there was scarcely a fireside in Great Britain where it had not been heard—Lady Anne never admitted its authorship, except to her mother, till within two years of her death She let the press and the public—learned societies and private friends—puzzle over it in vain till, seeing it attributed to herself in the *Peerage*, she wrote to Sir Walter Scott asking him to thank the "author of Waverley" for his discrimination There was a second part (written in response to the Countess' "Annie, I wish you would tell me how that unlucky business of Jeanie and Jamie ended,") but, like most sequels, sadly inferior to the original song The first to detect Lady Anne, out of her own family, was Lady Jane Scott sister of the Duke of Buccleuch, who shrewdly said to her at Dalkeith "You sing that song in a way that makes me sure it is your own writing," and extorted a copy of the words as the price of silence.—*Temple Bar*

Why Named "The Thunderer."

In an interesting work entitled "English Journalism and the Men Who Have Made It," Charles Peabody tells the tale in regard to the naming of the great British paper

"There was no writing in the press in those days (1840-40) like Edward Sterling's—nothing to be compared with it in boldness, freshness, point, and vigor It was the thundering of Jove, and, in fact, it was the writing of Edward Sterling that gave the *Times* the name of The Thunderer The story runs that Sterling began one of his articles in this style 'When we thundered the day before yesterday' And the *Times* henceforth, half in mockery, half in admiration, came to be called 'the Thunderer' Captain Sterling was the Thunderer, and Carlyle has given us a picturesque sketch of the Thunderer at work 'At 1 in the morning, when all had vanished into sleep, his lamp was kindled in his library, and there, twice or thrice a week, for three hours space, he launched his bolts, which next morning were to shake the high places of the world' The whole country listened to the voice of the Thunderer, and generally recognized its own voice in the voice of the *Times* This is 'what the multifarious Babel sound did mean to say in clear words—this, more nearly than anything else, and it was because Sterling did this, and did it so well, that the *Times* became the power in the world at the time'

How Maine Girls Work.

A young lady writing from Temple Mills, Maine, to the Cincinnati *Farming World*, is evidently preparing herself to support some young man who is constitutionally opposed to physical exertion She says "My father owns a large farm and a nice lot of cattle and sheep and I and my sister was born on this large farm and always have lived here, and of course we think there is no place like home, but we can play on the piano or organ as well as the next one I play in two churches in this town every Sunday, unless it is too rainy to have a meeting I can spin yarn (not street yarn), for I don't take any stock in them, but real woolen yarn. Two years ago this summer I spun sixty four and one half pounds of wool and made one hundred and nine yards of cloth all for ourselves I can harness our horse and take a drive when I like, and I and my sister can yoke the oxen or unyoke them when there is need of it, have done so several times this winter, and I and my sister have done all the chores a great many times this winter when father was away, and we can do all kinds of fancy work as well as the next one. Now mother and I and sister takes all the care of a large garden after it is plowed and we get premiums on our vegetables I am twenty-one and my sister is nineteen years old."

Two Cabinets.

The following cabinets make a contrast between the two elements or factions of the Republican party that will be studied with interest by the admirers of either faction

Garfield SECRETARY OF STATE Arthur
James G Blaine | F T Frelinghuysen
SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY
William Windom | Charles J Folger
SECRETARY OF WAR
Robert T Lincoln | Robert T Lincoln
SECRETARY OF THE NAVY
William H Hunt | William E Chandler
SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.
Samuel J Kirkwood | Henry M Teller
ATTORNEY GENERAL
Wayne MacVeagh | Benj Harris Brewster
POSTMASTER GENERAL
Thomas L James | Timothy O Howe

HISTORY tells that George Washington never told a lie so it is very plain that George didn't learn to smoke when his parents were alive.—*Lowell Citizen*

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INFANT'S SHOES, of every description, at BAILEY & BAKER'S.

April 15-d&wtf

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Dec. 18—d&wtf

BUTTERICK'S Spring Fashions and Publications at hand. LINN & SCRUGGS.

feb22-d&wtf.

Xerotine Siccatine.

It is only within a brief period that chemical science has produced the great explosives For hundreds of years humanity was content with the mild and gentle gunpowder, and all efforts were directed toward improving it and bringing it to a high state of effectiveness When first invented gunpowder was about as explosive as cider champagne, but not so destructive in its effects, and one great genius after another worked upon it until it was brought to its present high state of perfection. Then gun cotton was invented, then pyroxaline, then kerosene, the hired girl annihilator, then nitro glycerine, giant powder and dynamite, and now an entirely new and wonderful explosive has been brought out, called xerotine siccatine One can readily imagine what it must be, from its name The peculiar property of xerotine siccatine lies in the fact that it can be set to go off at a given time All that is necessary is to place the ingredients in a bottle, stow away the bottle in the hold of the English vessel you are desirous of destroying, and it will work its way into the hearts and affections and livers of the crew in its own good time The date of the catastrophe is easily regulated by placing a little more of one kind of stuff in the bottle than another, or a little less For instance, the Irish patriot desires the English vessel to collapse and go down on the fourth of July—he gauges the explosion to the exact day by a proper admixture of the component parts, though it is impossible for him to arrive at the exact day and hour thereof when he will be hung for doing it. Xerotine siccatine is a sort of time lock, and can be put up in cans labeled, "This can explodes May 24, 1883," "This can explodes June 5th—force sufficient to blow a locomotive through a range of mountains," etc. It is decidedly the neatest thing in the way of an explosive that science has yet produced, and should be in every family Those not desiring to use the article full strength may easily dilute with a little dynamite, while those preferring additional force should add a pinch or two of powdered mother-in-law. The effect will be terrific There is a future before xerotine siccatine, unless it should go off prematurely and blow the stuffing out of it.—*Peck's Sun.*

Could Not Run Steadily.

I sometimes think that any man who is growing old, and to whom it has been appointed in this life to earn his own bread, ought to be thankful to find himself in any settled and fairly creditable vocation. It tends to make one so to look around upon those who started along with us, and to remark here and there the clever fellow who would not settle to steady work, who would not get into one of the recognized grooves of human affairs Such clever fellows tend to be unsteady in another sense than lack of fixity of aim, and here doubtless is a main cause of their failure But even where this is not so you know the sorrowful upshot of not sticking to the track, not choosing a line and holding to it The income is precarious, all incomes are precarious that are made up of scraps. Give us steady wages, whether little or great You have known a brilliant man with a hundred times the brains of some wealthy mortal who wants to get into Parliament (with the single purpose of serving his country) thankful to earn a few pounds by doing election jobs, writing squibs, and canvassing, and meekly bearing to be sworn at by the wealthy mortal in the hour of defeat. It is very sad to find a man of true ability and eloquence, and content to work very hard, waiting, like a cab on the stand, for some one to hire his brains, for some one to get him to write on some subject in which he feels no interest, or to puff some doing which he sees to be contemptible. And such a man, living from hand to mouth, even if he has no one but himself to support, must many times look forward to the future with fear, thinking of the days when the poor, wearied brain and hand will not be able to work any more, and when there will no longer be the nerve to push himself forward amid younger and fresher competitors. Surely, thus meditating, and beholding how solid mortals who never had half his ability, and who never worked half so hard, but who got into one of the main grooves and kept to it, have distanced him in life—are judges, bishops, or at the least are thriving business men and rosy country parsons, filling recognized positions, and not without the confidence thence arising—the brilliant Bohemian that never would run steadily in harness must feel that he has made a mistake in his choice of life.—*Fraser's Magazine*

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April 7-d&wtf

THERE are no departments in dry goods which deserve more consideration from ladies than Hosiery, Gloves and Corsets, and it will surprise those who would walk five blocks to save 1 cent a yard on calico, when we assure them that many of these articles are retailed from 25 to 40 per cent *higher* than we sell them.

feb13-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

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j14-d&wtf. Corner of Old Square.

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Ar St Louis 7 00 am

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Administrators' Notice

Estate of Geo M Cummings D

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Geo M Cummings late of Macon county Illinois deceased and has taken the oath prescribed by law Persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are notified to exhibit them for adjustment and those indebted to said estate are requested to make payment to the undersigned at the residence of said deceased in said county on the 10th day of July A D 1882 ELIZABETH CUMMINGS ADMINISTRATRIX

MASTER'S SALE

STATE OF ILLINOIS
Macon County

Virginia Harpster vs Lydia A Harpster Barbara A Wood

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree entered in the above cause on the 3d day of July A D 1882 I will on the 24th day of July A D 1882 Monday, the 24th day of July A D 1882 at the hour of 10 o'clock a m of said day at the south front door of the Court House in the City of Decatur in said County of Macon sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for the purpose of paying the complainant herein the sum of $ and costs of suit the following described real estate to wit

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The Daily Republican.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 5, 1882.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

For State Treasurer,
GEN. JOHN C. SMITH,
Of Cook county.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
CHARLES T. STRATTON,
Of Jefferson county.

For Congressman—14th District,
JONATHAN H. ROWELL,
Of McLean county.

WE can do without water, but beer we *must* have.

SOME of these fine days the pumps at the water works will break down, and then what protection will Decatur have in case of fire?

THE crop of Fourth of July accidents does not seem to be so large as usual this year. But wait till the back counties are heard from.

DON'T all rush for those two new places on the police force. There will be chances for more applicants as soon as a few more new rumshops can be established.

GOV. CRITTENDEN, of Missouri, is doing a lively business in setting up the pins for a renomination. He is pardoning all the gamblers sent to the penitentiary from St. Louis. In the next Democratic state convention all the "sports" from that city will hurrah for Crittenden.

THE loafers *must* have something done for them. The park is not large enough to accommodate all of the brigade, and therefore more saloons are a necessity. The world never held a people more alive to the promptings of charity than are we. The appeals of the suffering never fall on our ears in vain.

IT will now be in order for the council to employ two more policemen to preserve the peace in the neighborhood of that new saloon in the fourth ward. Two policemen, at a cost of $1200, in order that the city may secure the $500 *revenue* that the saloon pays! All the city requires is to do a big enough business in this line, and the treasury will soon be in fine condition.

MRS. CHRISTIANCY must be a crank. On Monday she saw her husband passing her residence in Washington and, beckoning him to come in, she threw her arms around the old brute and begged him to forgive her and take her back to his heart and home. After all the disgusting stories she has inflicted upon the public as to the abuse heaped upon her by her aged husband, this exhibition of a desire to live with him again proves conclusively that she belongs to that large class of Washington lunatics—the cranks.

THE purchase of a new pump for the water works, badly needed as is the improvement, seems to be too abstruse a question for our aldermen to agree upon, but when it comes to granting license to open a new grog shop, in spite of the protest of a large number of citizens, they experience no difficulty in arriving at a conclusion. The city may run out of water, and not be able to fight successfully the first conflagration that breaks out, but we *must* have more places for the manufacture and storage of loafers and hoodlums.

ADMIRAL PORTER'S office at his $60,000 house in Washington is quite a nautical curiosity shop. There are some old pieces of furniture, a few books in cases, a number of drawings and photographs on the walls. In one corner are half a hundred models of torpedoes, with very harmless tin tubes and pine stems. On a stand on one side of the room is a working model of the steamer Alarm. Little brass guns and bits of ships, papers and documents and books scattered over three desks, a case of stuffed birds and countless things of interest catch the eye.

THE census shows that the ox—that patient servant of man from the remotest ages—is passing away. In the decade between 1870 and 1880 all other domestic animals increased from 24 to 90 per cent., while the ox decreased 25 per cent. It is only in those places where there was land to plough for the first time, and the ruder stages of civilization were practiced that the ox has increased. In these days of rapid transit he is voted too slow, and he must make way for fleeter-footed beasts of burden.

IT is pleasing to note that the average expenditure for strong drink of every man, woman and child in England has fallen from $29 in 1875 to $16 in 1881. The effect was seen in an immediate increase in the deposits in the savings banks, although these amounts do not yet reach to 10 per cent. of the money spent in liquor.

THE amount paid for pensions on account of the late war, to March 1, 1882, is $500,781,950. It is estimated that there are now on the rolls the names of 250,000 pensioners of the late war.

THE girls of Mount Pleasant, Io., tore down the posters that announced an oration by an anti-prohibition orator.

The Republican Nominee for State Treasurer.

Illinois State Journal.

General J. C. Smith, for the second time the republican nominee for state treasurer of Illinois, is a native of the state of Pennsylvania, having been born in the city of Philadelphia, February 18, 1832. His early years were spent in his native state, where he received a common school education. At the age of 17 he engaged in the carpenter's trade, which he continued to follow until he was 21. Then, after spending one year at Cape May, he removed to the city of Chicago, where he resumed the business of a carpenter and builder, continuing it until the fall of 1854, when he removed to Galena, where he erected a number of large buildings, including some of the largest and finest in that place.

The outbreak of the war of the rebellion found General Smith occupying the position of Assistant Superintendent engaged in the construction of the Custom House at Dubuque, Iowa. This position he resigned, and, returning to Galena, he enlisted in the service as a private soldier, and in 1862, a call having been made for additional troops, he recruited Company I, of the Sixty-ninth Regiment Illinois Volunteers, of which he was elected captain. From this position he was successively promoted to those of major, lieutenant colonel, and finally colonel of the regiment, taking part in all the battles of the Army of the Cumberland, and at the close of the war was twice brevetted for gallantry and meritorious conduct in the service.

In the desperate assault at Kenesaw Mountain, Ga., which took place in June, 1864, General Smith was severely wounded while leading his brigade, and while yet suffering from his wounds he returned to the field in time to participate in the battle of Nashville, just previous to the close of the war. The war having been ended, he was mustered out of the service, and returned to his former home in Galena. He remained there for several years, being connected a considerable portion of the time with the internal revenue service.

In 1874 he removed to the city of Chicago, where he established himself in the commission business, but the following year (1875) he was appointed grain inspector for the state by Governor Beveridge. He was also selected as one of the Centennial Commissioners for the state of Illinois, serving in that capacity at the Philadelphia exposition of 1876. In 1878 he was elected state treasurer on the republican state ticket, receiving a total of 215,283 to 169,965 for Cronkrite, his democratic opponent, and leading the ticket by nearly 10,000 votes. At the close of his term he returned to Chicago, where he engaged again in commission business. A few months ago he organized the Merchants' Parcel Delivery Company, of which he is now a director and the treasurer.

General Smith is personally exceptionally popular, being able to count hosts of friends in all parties and in all parts of the state. During his first term he established for himself an excellent reputation as a public officer, which will aid greatly in securing his election for a second term, already regarded as certain.

Drunkenness No Excuse for Crime.

Herald.

The court of appeals has recently passed upon the question whether drunkenness can be pleaded as a defense to a charge of murder. It was claimed by the counsel for a condemned murderer that his client was the victim of an appetite for drink which amounted to a disease that destroyed his will power and rendered him legally irresponsible, as in the case of insanity. A new trial was therefore asked, because the court below had refused to charge the jury that the accused was not responsible if the crime had been committed when he was the victim of such disease or if committed while he was drunk. The court of appeals refuses to recognize drunkenness as any excuse for crime. It holds that not even frenzy or mental alienation caused by drink can exempt a person accused of murder from criminal responsibility. If a man voluntarily gets drunk and commits a crime while in that condition he must answer for the consequences of his acts. This is obviously a sensible view, though not a new one, in criminal jurisprudence. It would be a parody on the administration of justice if the vice of getting drunk were accepted as an excuse for committing a crime.

Attachment to a Newspaper.

Some one who seems to know about the relation of a good newspaper to the family writes as follows:

The strong attachment of subscribers to a well-conducted newspaper is fully confirmed by publishers. "Stop my paper!" words of dread to beginners in business, lose their terror after a paper has been established for a term of years. So long as a paper pursues a just, honorable and judicious course, meeting the wants of its customers in all respects, the ties of friendship between the subscribers and the paper are as hard to break by an outside third party as the link which binds old friends in business or social life. Occasional defects and errors in a newspaper are overlooked by those who have become attached to it, through its perusal for years. They sometimes become dissatisfied with it on account of something which has slipped into its columns, and may stop taking it; but the absence of the familiar sheet at their homes and offices for a few weeks becomes an insupportable privation, and they hasten to take it again, and possibly apologize for having it stopped. No friendship on earth is more constant than that contracted by the reader for a journal which makes an honest and earnest effort to merit its continued support. Hence a conscientiously conducted paper becomes a favorite in the family.

BUSKINS, broad and soft, just the thing for old ladies, at BARBER & BAKER'S.
April 15-d&wtf

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

DECATUR, ILL., JULY 4, 1882.

The council met at the council rooms on the 3d day of July, 1882, there being present Ald. Bramble, Cox, Dinneen, Gogerty, Hardy, Mills, Parke, Schroll, Shoemaker and Shlandeman.

The council proceeded to business, the mayor presiding.

On motion the reading of minutes of last meeting was dispensed with.

A communication from John Grass, in relation to furnishing stone for gutters, was read and referred to committee on public improvement.

A petition from citizens of the Fifth ward, asking that the 5th ward sewer be built from William street to the railroad, was referred to the committee on public improvement.

A petition from citizens, asking that the park be put in good order and a custodian be appointed, was read and referred to the committee on streets, alleys and parks.

A petition for the construction of a sewer from the rear of the New Deming Hotel south to West Main street sewer, was read and on motion the rules were suspended, and the petition referred to the committee on public improvement with power to act.

A petition of citizens from the third ward, asking for the abatement of a nuisance arising from the smoke from Mattes' brick yard, was read and referred to the board of health.

A petition of citizens of the second ward asking to be relieved of a nuisance created by the discharge of water from a drain tile, N. E. corner of Church and Green streets, was referred to committee on public improvement.

The property owners in block 7, North addition, asked permission to lay a drain tile in the alley through said block. On motion matter was referred to the committee on streets and alleys.

A remonstrance signed by Thomas V. Jones and others, protesting against issuing permits to lay tile that will discharge into the open ditch on Jasper street, referred to the committee on public improvement.

John Archer and others petitioned the council to extend the sewer north on Union street from the south side of North street to Cerro Gordo street. Referred to the committee on public improvement.

H. C. Crosthwait tendered his resignation as inspector of carbon oils, which was accepted.

Communication of Matthias Wilson in relation to his appointment as custodian of the park, was referred to the committee on streets, alleys and parks.

The proposition of Paul Smith to furnish the city 100 yards of earth and pay one-half cost of excavation, was accepted.

A communication was received from David Martin in which he proposes to give $600 for the first ward calaboose lot, was referred to finance committee.

Jacob Blenz and others petitioned the council to appoint M. C. Purdy oil inspector for the city of Decatur. Petition referred to the mayor, who made the appointment as prayed for in said petition. Appointment confirmed.

Theo. Nelson, city treasurer, reported receipts and expenditures during the month of June, '82, which report was read and referred to finance com.

W. H. Shorb, Supt. of Streets, made his report for the month of June, '82, which was received and placed on file. The pay roll accompanying said report was approved and a warrant ordered issued for amount $1,805.25.

Joseph S. Howes, marshal, reported the number and cause of arrests, amount of fines assessed, amount collected, and number days worked out on chain gang. Report received and placed on file.

Michael McGinty asked the council to transfer his license for the sale of intoxicating liquors to Daniel W. Jones, which was granted and bond of Dan. W. Jones approved.

The bond of John W. Quinn was approved and a license to sell intoxicating liquors ordered issued for a term ending November 10, 1882. The location is the room in rear of Palace Hotel office.

The bond of Archie Heberer, making application for license to sell intoxicating liquors in a building situated on Lot 18, Block 7, B. H. Cassell's addition to Decatur, for term ending Nov. 10, 1882, and a remonstrance against the issuing said license were read. On motion above bond was approved and license ordered issued.

On motion of Mr. Bramble the representatives of manufacturers of pumping engines were called upon to explain the advantages of their different pumps.

Mr. Clapp, of the firm of Clapp & Jones then came forward and addressed the council, giving in detail all the advantages claimed for their pump, after which Mr. Pond, of St. Louis, came forward and gave a very full description of the Worthington pump.

Ald. Parke moved that the committee on water works be instructed to purchase a pump. After some discussion of the matter the council adjourned to meet next Saturday night, July 8, '82, 8 o'clock.

GEO. P. HARDY, City Clerk.

Paste This in Your Hat.

Sunstroke begins with a pain in the head, or dizziness, quickly followed by loss of consciousness and complete prostration. Sometimes, however, the attack is as sudden as a stroke of apoplexy. The head is often burning hot, the face dark and swollen, breathing labored and snoring, and the extremities cold. With such cases proceed as follows: Take the patient at once to a cool and shady place, but don't carry him far to a house or hospital. Loosen the clothes thoroughly about the neck and waist. Lay him down with the head a little raised. Apply wet clothes to the head and mustard or turpentine to the calves of the legs and soles of the feet. Give a little weak whisky and water if he can swallow it. Meantime let some one go for a physician.

Excursion to Clear Lake, Iowa.

The Illinois Central R. R. will run an excursion to Clear Lake, Iowa, leaving Decatur at 3:40 p. m., on Monday, July 10. Fare for the round trip, only $10. Return tickets good for 60 days. Sleeping cars will run through from Clinton to the Lake. Price per double berth only $2.00. The Iowa State Camp Meeting, under the leadership of Chaplain C. C. McCabe, will be held at Clear Lake beginning July 11. For further information apply to Illinois Central ticket agent at Decatur, or J. F. Merry, Excursion Agent, Manchester, Iowa. 5-d&wlw

How Now! What is It?

The great system renovator is BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. Try it and be convinced. Price $1.00. Sold by druggists. 4

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

A STEAMER DISASTER

With Fearful Loss of Life.

The Progress of the Harvest.

WASHINGTON, July 4.—The following facts connected with the nomination yesterday of Col. Crane to be surgeon general of the army, illustrates most forcibly the faculty President Arthur possesses of keeping his own counsel. Senators and representatives in congress who saw the president on Saturday last and yesterday morning, only a few brief hours before Col. Crane's name was sent to the senate, and after (as it is now known) his appointment had been actually made out, and urged the promotion of Medical Purveyor Baxter to the vacancy made by the retirement of Surgeon General Barnes, left Mr. Arthur perfectly confident from his manner (not from any positive expression) that Baxter would be made surgeon general. One member of the house, who had an interview with the president yesterday morning in Baxter's behalf, said to a correspondent an hour afterward that Baxter's appointment was no longer a matter of doubt, yet at 1 o'clock the same day a messenger from the white house delivered to the senate the nomination of Col. Crane. It has been suggested, in connection with this nomination, that it also illustrates the marked independence of action on the part of President Arthur making appointments. Baxter had the indorsements of a large number of the members of both houses of congress and influential, established officials and private citizens of all portions of the country. The president in this case understood the tremendous pressure brought to bear upon him by a host of political and personal friends to make Baxter surgeon general, and promoted Assistant Surgeon General Crane to the position, being largely governed in doing so by the consideration that he stood in the direct line of promotion.

WHEELING, W. Va., July 4.—The steamer Sciota and the towboat John Loomis collided at Mingo junction this evening. The Sciota sank in about fifteen feet of water. A large number of lives are reported to have been lost. The Sciota had an excursion party on board, who were celebrating Independence day by a trip on the river and picnic. The number of passengers on board is estimated to have been 700. The scenes at the wreck were heartrending, the strong ruthlessly thrusting the weaker out of their way in the despairing effort to save themselves from death. The officers and crew of the Loomis did all in their power to rescue the passengers of the ill fated steamer, and succeeded in securing about 500, while others were rescued by citizens residing along the bank of the stream with yawls. A number were washed to the shore by the current, some of whom died from exhaustion soon after reaching land.

ALTON, July 4.—The river rose 28 inches during the forty-eight hours ending yesterday evening, and is now only 14 inches below the flood of May, 1881. It is still rising. The farmers on the low lands of Missouri Point are drowned out and are coming to this shore every hour in skiffs, with such effects as they can save. There is a great loss of wheat on Missouri Point. Much that was in shock has been swept away by the rapid rise of the water. The river is rapidly encroaching on the American Bottom below the city, and farmers are busy day and night transferring their wheat (now in shock) to higher ground. There is every reason to fear a general overflow of the American Bottom. Cellars of business houses on Front street are fast filling with water, and merchants are moving their goods to the upper stories. The flouring mills have so far kept their engine rooms clear by means of steam pumps. Water is three feet deep on the floor of the Eagle Packet warehouse.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 3.—It is estimated that at least 1,000 grain cradles have been sold in this city during the past week. The reapers and self binders are at a standstill, on account of the softness of the ground. Only two self-binders were known to be running last Saturday. Almost every attempt resulted in a "stick," and in consequence the old-time mode of harvesting with a cradle had to be resorted to, and hundreds of them are to-day being swung in Sangamon county, the swingers and binders wearing rubber boots. The crop is a good one, and all that is now required is to save it.

ST. CHARLES, July 4.—All that rich bottom land in St. Louis county, opposite St. Charles, that was submerged about a year ago, is again under water. On Saturday night the Missouri began overflowing its banks and spreading over the wheat and corn fields. This latter crop, which is from six inches to five feet under water, will be a total loss, but as most of the farmers have cut their wheat they were enabled to save the greater portion of it by working night and day to haul the shocks out to high land. A great deal of the wheat that was saved was taken out of water knee deep to horses that carted it away.

MOUNT VERNON, Ill., July 3.—New wheat is commencing to come in, and is now coming in in large quantities. Many are threshing, while others in the low lands have not yet cut. The yield is the greatest and the crop the largest ever raised in the country. Farmers are engaging for July delivery at $1.

ATLANTA, Ill., June 4.—To-night at 9 o'clock the Illinois Midland depot caught fire and burned. The size of the building was 25x120 feet. It is not known how the building caught fire. John Nicholson occupied a portion of the depot as a dining hall. His furniture was mostly saved; insured in the Springfield of Massachusetts. S. H. Field's lumber office and contents came near burning. The building was slightly damaged; insured in the Queen. The Midland agent is away, and it is believed all their books and papers are burned.

CLINTON, Ill., July 3.—By reports gleaned from different counties in Central Illinois, your correspondent learns that the corn crop, what there is of it, is in a fine growing state. There is an average of one-half crop compared with last year's crop. The wheat, rye and oat harvest has begun. Wheat is turning out magnificently, and the yield will be big, and farmers will more than make up their loss on corn by the heavy yield of wheat. Oats and rye are also extra good.

THE steamship Nevada, which arrived at New York Saturday, brought 927 Mormons—the largest ship-load of that class of immigrants that has been landed in this country in many years.

Business at Elwin.

The prospect for fine weather has started the machines cutting wheat, and the report is that wheat is far better than expected. If we have a chance to get it put up without much rain it will be a great help for the farmers, as the corn crop is going to be short. The bad roads don't affect business much, as the merchants and grain dealers have some hogs, and will make another shipment some time this fall. Everybody is rejoicing over the hanging of Guiteau. We think we ought to have good weather now, because Guiteau pulled and the moon pulled. During the storm of last Thursday night the lightning struck Mr. Hall's barn, killing one of his fine mares, leaving Mr. H. minus one horse, besides doing other damage. Our family doctor disposed of ten head of fine cattle at the sum of four hundred dollars. They will be butchered for the Macon trade, and fine beef they will make. X.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Regular Meeting.

OFFICE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
DECATUR, ILL., July 3, 1882.

Present: Messrs. Barnes, Cobb, Chambers and Clerk:

Miss Clara Lieb was appointed a teacher in the schools at a salary of $405.

The president authorized to receive bids for whitewashing walls of third ward school house until Saturday next.

Mr. T. L. Evans was appointed to take the school census.

President and clerk appointed a committee to look after repairs at fourth ward with power to act.

On motion, adjourned.

W. A. BARNES, President.

E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk.

Bloody School.

Number enrolled during term, 49; daily average attendance for April, 42; May, 41; June, 42. The following received diplomas of honor for regular attendance: Josie Nicnitker, Lee Hill, Orville Hopkins, Lulu Harbert, James Blankenship, Freddie Nicnitker, Maggie Tracy, Josie Hill, Henry Loewer, Bertie Hopkins, Bennie Blankenship.

MARY E. LICKENS, Teacher.

OBITUARY.

DIED—At his residence, East End, Pittsburg, Pa., RUFUS C. CROCKER, in the 64th year of his age.

The deceased had been ill for several months with dyspepsia but was not considered in a dangerous condition until a few days before his death. He leaves a widow, a son and daughter, a sister residing in New York, and a brother in Macon, Illinois.

Rufus C. Crocker was the son of the late Elder Crocker, who died in Macon a few years since, and at the age of 5 years removed with his parents to Jacksonville, Ill., where he spent his boyhood days. He graduated at Knox College and spent two years on Union Theological Seminary, New York City.

The War of the Rebellion called him from his preparation for the ministry, and he held the position of Sergeant Major of the 116th Vol. Inf., till sickness compelled him to return home. Afterward he was commissioned Lieutenant in the Veteran Reserve Corps, and stationed in Kentucky.

After the war Mr. Crocker returned to Sangamon broken health, and engaged in business with his father and brother. In 1869 Mr. Crocker removed to Decatur, Ill., becoming a member of the hardware firm of Morehouse & Wells. The following year he located on Water street, in the same business, where he continued for a period of nine years. In 1881 he removed with his family to Pittsburg, Pa., where he purchased a large interest in the Atlas Iron Works, being elected treasurer of the company.

Mr. Crocker was prominent in the Masonic Order, having been an active member of Tonic Lodge No. 312, of Decatur, Ill. He was also a ruling elder in the Presbyterian Church of Decatur prior to his removal east, and was one of the most companionable of men, and a good man in every respect. He was a loving son and brother, a kind friend and neighbor, a most affectionate husband and father and a true Christian.

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."
H. M.

Bargains for 30 Days.

As the season is so nearly closed, Mrs. Einstein has marked down all goods in her millinery and notion departments, and those wishing big bargains should call at No. 28 East Main street at once. The stock in both departments is complete. The mark down sale will continue for thirty days. Now is the time to buy
June 16-d&wtf

WALKING SHOES for $1.00 at Barber & Baker's. April 15-d&wtf

THE $10 Suits at Stine's M5-dtf

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The Closing Quotations at Wilcox & Armstrong's Commission Rooms, at 1 p. m. To-day.

CHICAGO, July 5.

WHEAT—$1.14½ July; $1.08⅞ Aug; $1.05½ Sept; $1.03 Year.
CORN—77¼ July; 77¼ Aug.; 77¼ Sept; 69⅞ Year.
OATS—40⅛ July; 40¼ Aug; 39½ Sept; 36⅞ Year.
PORK—$21.55 July; $21.85 Aug; $22.00 Sept.
LARD—$12.42½ July; $12.47½ Aug; $12.60 Sept.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

HOGS—Estimated receipts, 11,000; shipments, ——; light hogs, $7.80@$8.30; mixed, $7.80@$8.30; heavy, $8.40@$8.90; cattle receipts 4,700.

	Receipts.	Shipments.	Car Lots.
WHEAT	36,056	111,735	85
CORN	94,583	363,494	343
OATS	125,040	214,962	114
RYE	866	8346	5

NEW YORK, July 5.

WHEAT—$1.25½ July; $1.20⅛ Aug; $1.19⅛ Sept; $1.18⅞ Year.
CORN—84 July; 82⅞ Aug; 80½ Sept; 80½ Year.

TOLEDO, July 5.

WHEAT—$1.15 July; $1.00 Aug; —— Sept; $1.07½ Year.
CORN—76½ July; 77¼ Aug; 77 Sept; 67½ Year.

COLORED Silks just received, in various shades, imported expressly for us, and will be sold cheap. LINN & SCRUGGS.
feb22-d&wtf.

SEE the new goods and low prices at the big store of L. L. FERRISS & Co.
May 20-dtf

WHEN you buy your CLOTHING of CHEAP CHARLEY, you pay only manufacturers' prices. m11-dawtf

SHELLABARGER'S Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. Dec18-d&wtf

SHORT pants and children's waists of all kinds, to suit everybody, at Decatur's One-Price Clothing House, corner of Old Square. j14-d&wtf

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, pay able in advance. No trade advertisements inserted in this column.]

LOST—On Saturday, July 1, between the residence of W. B. Chambers and the public square, a turquoise breastpin and locket. The finder will please return it to the residence of Mr. Chambers, or to this office. July5d.

BREAD—I have moved my bakery from North Main to Cemetery street, where I will be pleased to fill all orders for bread. Will deliver bread to all parts of the city, morning and evening. Can order by telephone. Farmers will be furnished meals and lodging.
july3-d&wtf. JOSEPH MCCRANN.

WANTED—A good girl to do housework. Call at No. 23 West Prairie street.
July3-d1w* J. R. GORIS.

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished pleasant room, suitable for one or two gentlemen, within one block of old square. Address P. O. Box 665, Decatur, Ill. 3-d&w

SEWING.—I am ready to do any kind of sewing or patching at my home, corner of Orchard and Jasper streets. Give me a call.
June 30—d6t* CORDIE WINGARDNER.

WANTED—A man and wife to go to the country two miles, to take charge of a house; steady work to a good man. Inquire at once at No. 22, West William street.
June 30—d1w* J. S. TAPP.

FOR SALE.—House with two rooms, lot 50x165, in H. R. Brown's addition to the city of Decatur. Price $170. Inquire of A. Childers, near St. Louis railroad bridge. June 30d6*

FOR SALE—A secretary and bookcase, as good as new, which will be sold very cheap. Address P. O. Box 375. 29-d6*

FOR RENT—A suite of rooms with all modern conveniences—suitable for light housekeeping or sleeping apartment, third floor over Fluery's. Apply to C. Cassell, this office. 26-t1

R. S. HAMMOND, shipper and wholesale dealer in Eggs and Poultry, 18 and 20, West Main street. j1m24-d1m*

FOR RENT.—The pasture known as the Henry Cassell pasture, enough for 40 head of cattle, with plenty of water. Apply to
June 23—d2w* P. J. KEARNEY.

SAND—I have the best building and plastering sand in the city. All orders left at Joseph Michler's, Mills & Harry's, or at the brewery, will be promptly attended to. Sand bank on South Broadway.
March 30—d&wtf EDWARD FRANCIS.

MEN WANTED—At the Cantrall Drain Tile Works, ten miles north of Springfield, Ill. Steady employment and good wages. Address or call at once on the Cantrall Drain Tile Co., Cantrall, Sangamon county, Ill. [June1d1t

OF INTEREST TO EVERYBODY.—The neatest and most reliable upholsterer and furniture repairer in the city can always be found at Buchman Bros.' Furniture House. Leave your orders. G. P. HART.
June 14—dtf

SCROLL SAWING and Turning done to order at Will C. Ambrose' factory, corner of Franklin and Cerro Gordo streets.
May 26dtf

J. M. LOWRY, Justice of the Peace and Collecting Agent, writes and certifies the acknowledgment of deeds, mortgages, leases, releases, and other instruments neatly and correctly. Office, Powers' Block, room No. 2, Decatur, Illinois. may 18-d1y

REAL ESTATE OFFICE of Kaufman & Randolph, over Decatur National Bank. Parties wanting to buy or sell property will do well to call on the above. 7-d2

SOME very desirable lots on West William street, as nice as can be found in the city, suitable for fine residences.
7-d2 KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

WE have property all over the city for sale. Also lots from $75 to $2,000 each.
7-d2 KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

CHEAP LOTS.—For sale to parties intending to build. Apply to MONTGOMERY & SHIRLEY, Powers' Block. may26d6t

NICE high, dry dwelling lots,—six blocks from old square—good shade, excellent drainage, lots 60 by 150, and stable lots across alley in addition 60x70; cheap. Also in same locality lots 50 feet, fronting on good street.
7-d2 KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

FOR RENT—Rooms on second floor over "Plenty's," now occupied as Office-making Parlors. J. M. CLOKEY.
Feb. 18—d6t*

FURNITURE

Selected from the
Best Manufactories.
Parlor Suits,
YOU Bed Room Sets
Easy Chairs,
Sewing Chairs,
Patent Rockers,
Mirrors, CAN
Dining Room Outfits,
Bed Lounges,
Spring Beds,
Mattresses,
Pillows,
SAVE All Fresh,
New Goods,
Bought for Cash,
To be sold at a
Very Small Profit.
Rogers' Silverware,
40 Styles Lamps, MONEY
Glassware,
Queensware,
Bird Cages,
AT Cooking Stoves,
Quick Bakers,
Gasoline Stoves,
Kitchen Outfits,
Refrigerators, LIDDLE'S
Cream Freezers,
20 Styles of
Baby Carriages,
Etc., Etc., Etc.

Everything you want for Housekeeping, at Lower Prices than ever.

Goods Carefully Packed and Shipped without Extra Charge.

☞ You are respectfully requested to call and see the Goods on sale in the Four Large Store Rooms in Court House Block.

R. LIDDLE.
March 15—d&w

P. PERL,

EMBALMER
AND
FUNERAL DIRECTOR

May 27, '82-dtf.

Executor's Notice.

Estate of MARTIN L. LAWS, deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Martin L. Laws, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, on the 3rd Monday of August, A. D. 1882, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., July 1, A. D. 1882.

GERTRUDE A. LAWS, Executrix.
July 1—d3w

WE HAVE RECEIVED

DURING THE

Last Few Days

1 case LADIES' STOCKINGS at 15 cts., worth 25 cts.
The above are the same goods shown by week and in the spring.
2 cases very handsome DRESS GINGHAMS at 8½ cts.
2 " all size CHECK GINGHAMS at 8½ cts.
25 pieces *all* pure LINEN LAWN, beautiful style, at 40 cts., former price 40 cts.
30 pieces real FRENCH GINGHAMS, new design, 25, 37½ and 40.
1 case PRINTS at 4 cts.
2 cases PRINTS at 5 cts.; one light and one dark.
2 cases PRINTS at 7 cts.
2 cases PRINTS, elegant chintz styles, 8½ cts.

2 cases IRONSIDE CORSETS, the most comfortable, healthful and best shape Corset for $1 ever offered in this market. We have other qualities at 50 and 75 cts.

We have a large stock of WHITE GOODS, cream and white dotted and plain Swiss, Mulls, Bishop, Victoria and Persian Lawns, Organdies, Nainsooks, Brocade novelties in cream, pink and blue, white Pique, &c.

1 case handsome LAWNS to day, 8½ cents.

20 pieces new cream and black Spanish Laces, Guipure and Spanish Guipure, Edelweiss, Oriental, real Thread, real Duchesse Sets, &c.

A new stock of BLACK CASHMERES and BLACK SILKS. All goods at the same low prices as before.

F. L. HAYS & CO.

June 29—d&wtf

We carry the Largest Assortment of

WATCHES, CLOCKS,

JEWELRY, SILVERWARE,

And NOVELTIES in our line in Decatur. Our stock this spring is very large, and embraces many Styles found nowhere else in this city.

OUR PRICES ARE ALWAYS THE LOWEST

And all Goods sold will be

Guaranteed Just as Represented.

☞ Do not buy anything in our line until you have seen our stock and learned our prices

W. R. ABBOTT & Co.

DECATUR'S RELIABLE JEWELERS.

Oct. 20, 1881—d&w.tf

4th OF JULY HATS.

STRAW HATS!

In great variety and VERY LOW PRICES. May 4—d

FANCY SHIRTS!

To be closed out in the next two weeks. Lower prices will tell.

S. T. KEELER.

June 29, 1882—d6t

It is Conceded by Everybody!

That the only place in the city where Iced Water is placed within reach of all, is at

JOHN IRWIN'S WHITE FRONT,

POST OFFICE BLOCK.

Look inside you will find it equally true that it is the only place in the city where you will find an entire new stock of CLOTHING, Medium, Fine and Extra Fine; GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS, Novelties in NECKWEAR and Nobby HATS, at reasonable prices.

Everybody welcome. No trouble to show goods.

June 22-d&wtf

GREAT SACRIFICE SALE
OF
HOSIERY
AND
PARASOLS!

The season has far advanced, and having an UNUSUALLY LARGE STOCK of these goods on hand, we have concluded to MAKE THEM MOVE more lively by offering

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS.

AND AT

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES,

All and everything in the above departments.

Our stock, both for VARIETY AND EXCELLENCE, is unsurpassed in Decatur.

(Big) No. 18 Merchant Street. CHEAP STORE. SOL. MORITZ & CO

Don't Buy a Watch

OF ANY DESCRIPTION

UNTIL YOU HAVE SEEN THE

Wonderful Variety of Designs

—TO BE FOUND IN—

OUR IMMENSE STOCK!

We Keep Every Make of Watch,

— AND CAN SAVE YOU —

15 TO 20 PER CT.

IN THE WAY OF —

Our Extra Discounts.

We have many little novelties in

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 5, 1882.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR CORONER.

We are authorized to announce JOHN T. REID as a candidate for coroner, subject to the decision of the republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce JESSE E. BENDURE as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

HAVE you an Alaska Refrigerator? If not you can get it at
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

BEDFORD wears the Blume gold medal.

NOTE important change in New York Store advertisement to-day.

GET splendid canned goods at Siddall & Co.'s new grocery store.

THE Decatur "milish" took in Springfield.

C. B. PRESCOTT has a full stock of all the latest sheet music.

THE Palace Hotel was crowded with guests yesterday. It's a tip-top house.

SEE the superior carpets cheap for cash at Abel & Locke's.

THE irrepressible small boy was in his glory yesterday. He was everywhere keeping up the ear-splitting din.

THE great all wool Cassimere Suits at B. Stine's, the Boss Clothier. M5-dtf

LET Niedermyer, on the Mound, provide you with family groceries. His prices are bed-rock.

A MAN named Collins, a. p. d., fell into the city calaboose last night, assisted by an officer.

THERE was a big rush at the postoffice last evening from 5:30 to 7. The lobby was packed.

Now that the 4th is over commence smoking none but Schroeder's celebrated Bohemian cigars.

THE only latest styles in Decatur of men's low shoes are at
May 20 dtf L. L. FERRISS & Co.'s.

SOCIABLE to-morrow evening at the Y. M. C. A. Rooms. The public is cordially invited.

JOSEPH REDING is the name of the man arrested on a charge of having stolen a watch worth $20 from Frank Goodman. The accused is in the county jail.

WAIT till October then the Decatur Roscoes will down Chicago in the base tournament in that city. There is a day of retribution ahead.

No fully necessary to sell Stines all wool $10 Suits. M5-dtf

DR. SMALL'S son was injured in the face yesterday by the premature explosion of a fire-cracker. One of the boy's eyes was hurt.

WHITE MOUNTAINS, Quebec, Niagara Falls, Portland, old Orchard Beach and Boston, July 19th, write Ayer's Excursions, Springfield, Ill.

IT was generally admitted by mutual consent that Chicago got away with the Reds. The visitors made but two earned runs.

THE receipts at the base ball park yesterday were about $340, two-thirds of which, ($227), was taken home by the Chicago Mutuals as per agreement, beside that $50 winning, etc.

DYSPEPSIA disappears when Carter's Liver Bitters are used, and for weak stomach, indigestion, constipation, etc., they cannot be excelled. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 30

PAT RYAN celebrated by getting on a big drunk, and of course he fell into the cooler. It took Officers Mason and Flynn and another man to subdue him and get him in shape to navigate the calaboose route.

GO TO Peter Ullrich's and get a bar of that Magnetic Soap; no washboard or boiling of cloth necessary; washing done in one-half the time, and guaranteed not to injure the finest fabric. 13-dtf

THE new tile factory is a fixed fact, and operations will be commenced at an early day. Monday the company elected Judge C. B. Smith, president; P. H. Brueck, treasurer; Charles L. Smith, secretary; and J. G. Shea, general superintendent.

THERE was a business meeting of the Book-keepers' nine yesterday. Ed. Heilman was elected manager, J. H. Brayton, captain, and George R. Brett, treasurer. The club subsequently "creamed up" at Butler Bros.

AT last there is to be a saloon near the Wood street crossing of the Illinois Central railroad. That is just what a large number of order loving fourth warders have been trying to prevent for a long time. The jig is up now.

A LAD named Titus, whose parents reside in Terre Haute, had one of his eyes seriously injured while firing off a piece of fireworks. Titus is a young book agent and is at Mrs. Bradt's boarding house on East William street. Dr. C. Chenoweth attended him.

A SOLICITING committee will be abroad in the city to-morrow to raise a suitable fund to pay for open air park concerts by Goodman's band. It is to be hoped that our citizens will contribute liberally to this fund. We are all in favor of band concerts. Now put your shoulders to the wheel and help raise the necessary cash.

HOUSTON SINGLETON has closed up his Gem barber shop, on the south side of Prairie street, and packed up his furniture. He will suspend business until he reopens an elegant establishment in the basement of John Ullrich's new building. Meantime Mr. Singleton will be employed at Isaac Rogan's shop, where he would be pleased to have his friends call.

A Brutal Assault.

It is charged that James McCormick, who was an employe at the Decatur coal shaft last April, last night made a brutal assault upon his wife at the family residence, corner of Eldorado and Jasper streets. An eye witness says that McCormick was drunk, and that he dragged his wife over the floor, kicked her and beat her shamefully. Mrs. McCormick is in an interestidg condition, and she was unconscious for over an hour this morning. Officer Early arrested Mr. McCormick, and this morning he was placed in the county jail to await the result of the injuries inflicted upon his wife.

STINE'S $10 all wool Cassimere Suits. M5-dtf

THE DAY WE CELEBRATE.

Observance of the Glorious Fourth in Decatur and Round About Us.

A Sort of "Go as You Please Celebration."

The big and little folks of Decatur and of the Nation have had another general jollification over the Fourth of July—the anniversary of America's declaration of independence—and people with weak nerves heave sighs of relief as they realize that it will be full 12 months before there will be a repetition of the pesky noise, slam-bang and clatter of yesterday which was kept up from early morn until late at night. The celebration in Decatur was varied in character—a sort of go as you please affair. Picnic parties were not numerous because the grass was thought to be too damp for health and comfort, and so those townspeople who did not go away on trains remained at home and took in the several attractions arranged by societies, quite a number spending the day at the base ball park.

THE HIBERNIANS.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians, headed by the Hibernian Band, made a magnificent street parade yesterday forenoon, and repaired with hundreds of friends to Cassell's pasture, on East William street, where the fourth was observed in a patriotic and becoming manner. There was an abundance of fine refreshments for all, and music by the band. The Declaration of Independence was read by Mr. Thomas Finn, and Messrs. David Hutchison and P. J. Kearney were the orators of the day. At the meeting of the A. O. H. last night votes of thanks were tendered Mr. Hutchison for his masterly oration, to Mr. Finn for his presence and aid, and to Prof. Charles Mehl for his invaluable services as leader and instructor of the band.

AT THE TABERNACLE,

the ladies of the W. C. T. U. served refreshments and received friends all day and evening. At 8 o'clock there was a large crowd of people occupying chairs in front of the stage. They had gathered there to hear the promised address by Rev. R. N. Davies, D. D. There was music by a selected choir, led by Mr. Bunn, and prayer by Rev. Dimmitt. Mr. Davies' effort was able and patriotic. The subject was "The Nature of Liberty; what it is, and the safeguards." It bristled with interesting historical points that engaged close attention.

A PICNIC PARTY.

There was a jolly picnic spread at Uncle Billy Montgomery's grove, four miles north of Decatur, yesterday. Those in the party were Alice Freeman, Frank Curtis, Meta Batteiger, Geo. R. Dodson, Alice Priest, Burt J. Hardy, Belle Burrows, Ed. Judson, Jessie Stevens, Bering Burrows, Adele Shellabarger, Wilson Bering, Binie Hatch, Ed. Powers, Laura Johns, Joe Alexander, Olive Oglesby, Cyrus Randolph. The day's festivities closed with a pleasant social hop at the home of Bering Burrows, for which Wilhelmy's orchestra furnished music.

SHOOTING TOURNAMENT.

The Decatur Shooting Club gave their promised glass ball tournament on North Morgan street, which was witnessed by several hundred people. In the contest for the $25 gold medal offered by President Geo. P. Blume, there were six contestants: Bedford, Kepple, Faas, Shoemaker Blakeny and Blume. Faas and Bedford tied, and in the "shoot off," Bedford won the prize In the first sweepstakes contest, 14 entries, Frank Powers won first prize, and Theron Powers second prize. In second sweepstakes, Faas won first prize. In third sweepstakes, Kepple won first and Faas second.

ON CASSELL'S HILL

the members of St. James German Catholic Church and friends had a grand good time. Refreshments were served in abundance.

HIED AWAY TO THE WOODS.

About 125 people residing on Railroad Avenue, in the 5th ward (East Eldorado street,) and invited friends, among whom were parties from Springfield, St. Louis and Taylorville, got aboard two coaches at the Union depot at 10 o'clock yesterday forenoon and where taken eastward six miles over the Wabash. The superintendent of the party was Trainmaster Hartman, of the Wabash, who had engaged two French cooks from St. Louis and several colored waiters to see that the picnicers were properly provided with refreshments. The party had a royal good time, and returned to the city about six o'clock last evening.

AT REA'S BRIDGE.

A party of young ladies and gentlemen spent the day in picnicing at Rea's Bridge. George Hunsley's hack furnished conveyance for the party, and they returned home about 6:30 o'clock, having spent the day pleasantly.

THE P. D. Q'S.

The members of this club wound up the day's doings with an impromptu social dance at the Guards Armory, with music by Goodman's orchestra. It was a happy affair and was well attended, as usual. The Guards marched into the hall on their return from Springfield, at 11 o'clock. Their appearance created a little flutter, as the sanguinary invasion was unexpected by many.

THE GERMANS.

The Turners celebrated yesterday at their garden on South Broadway, closing with an enjoyable dance last night.

AT ARGENTA.

At the celebration at Argenta A. T. Summers, Esq., and Justice Corley were the orators of the day. A large crowd of people were in attendance.

DECATUR AT SPRINGFIELD.

The Decatur Guards, Co. H., and the Decatur Rifles, Co. K., spent the fourth at Springfield on invitation of the citizens of that city. Both companies were given prominent places in the street parade, which was about a mile in length. Gen. Charles Black, of Danville, was the orator of the day. The military companies present, besides companies H and K, were Co. C, of Springfield, Co. E, of Petersburg, and Co. G, of Virden. Our soldiers returned home last night at 10:40, all saying that they had a splendid time. The visiting companies were furnished transportation and entertainment at the expense of Springfield citizens.

Notice.

The undersigned is very anxious to know the whereabouts of his brother, JOHN MOUDY, who left his home in Williamsport, Washington county, Maryland, some time in October, 1871. He will learn something of great benefit and importance by addressing A. J. MOUDY, Williamsport, Washington Co., Maryland. d&wlt

BASE BALL BATTERS.

A Gala Day at the Park—Fine Exhibition Games Witnessed by Thousands of People.

Yesterday was a great day at the Decatur base ball park, a general interest among our people in the National game having been awakened by the victories of the Reds, it is but necessary to announce a game and the crowd will be there to witness the contest.

THE FIRST GAME,

which began at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, was one in which employes of the stores of Linn & Scruggs and Morehouse, Wells & Co. were the opponents. There was a large crowd in attendance at the start, but all did not remain in the inclosure until the *finale*, as they had not thought of bringing along a lunch. The game ended at 10 minutes past 12, the hardware boys possessing greater endurance, winning the contest by 6 runs. It was not a question of skill in playing, but of endurance. With a little hard practice another contest between the winners would perhaps result in a score of 70 to 70. Below is

THE SCORE:

HARDWARE NINE.	Runs.	Outs.
E. Morhouse, l. f.	8	4
Tom Russell, r. f.	6	5
R. Edwards, c	10	1
F. P. Wells, p	11	0
H. H. Bishop, 2 b	5	4
Fred. Bartholomew, i. f	6	5
C. M. Hurst, s. s	7	1
S. P. Morehouse, 3 b	6	3
E. P. Bishop, c. f	3	5
	62	28

DRY GOODS NINE.	Runs.	Outs.
Will Barnes, r f	6	1
Herb. Bartholomew, 1 b	6	2
John Clugston, c. f	7	4
Chas. Packard, s. s	6	3
George Bell, c	8	2
Lon Hopper, l. f	7	3
Littlefield, 3 b	4	6
H. Bailey, p	7	2
Billy Kelly, 2d	5	3
	56	26

Score by innings—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Hardware	3	7	3	4	11	7	10	10	7—	62
Dry goods	5	6	14	11	4	0	3	7	6—	56

James O'Neil, umpire.
C. C. Carter and E. D. Bartholomew, scorers.
Fly catches—Tom Russell and H. Bailey.
Base hits—Eight.
Time of game—Four hours and 10 minutes.

THE CHICAGO VICTORY.

The big game of the day (but there was not nearly so much fun in it—for us) was the tussle of the Decatur Red Stockings with the Chicago Mutuals, a club that belongs to a league in Chicago, and is one of the best of the bunch. The game commenced with Charles C. Carter as umpire at 8:10 o'clock in the presence of an immense crowd of people representing a large proportion of the fashionable element of the city. Standing room was hard to find. The crowd inside and out must have numbered 3,000 or 4,000. The receipts were $336, of which sum $112 goes into the treasury of the Reds. When the Mutuals came upon the ground, dressed in their neat white suits, green stockings and brown caps, and commenced practicing, the more enthusiastic admirers of the Reds began to weaken just a little and were more guarded in their declarations as to the result.

THE SCORE.

Below is the score by innings:

Decatur,	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Chicago,	2	0	4	1	1	1	0	0		—9

The visitors, who are a powerful nine, good catchers, splendid batters, excellent and true throwers, swift fielders and runners, saw from the start they had to work to win, and they got down to business and probably did their best. Twice the Reds whitewashed them before they had a man on first base, Bickes' skillful catching and the double plays by O'Neill, assisted in one instance by Montague, achieving these results, which were loudly applauded, the Mutuals joining in the flattering demonstrations. Both nines made a great many errors, otherwise the score would have been 4 to 2 against the Reds. The Mutuals had Grosh, the celebrated Providence catcher and one of the very best pitchers in Chicago with them. The Reds were defeated for the first time since their organization, but it was a defeat they nor none of their friends need be ashamed of. Members of the Mutuals, among them Mr. Phillips, the captain, told our reporter last night that the Reds were hard to beat as an amateur nine, and expressed surprise when told that they had been organized but a few weeks.

A BAD FINALE.

Two Members of the "Chicago Mutuals" Make a Criminal Assault on a Decatur Man.

Last evening about 9 o'clock, as we are informed, two burly members of the Chicago Mutual base ball club, which played in this city yesterday, engaged one of Lintner's carriages for several hours. William Donahue was the driver in charge. The couple were driven about the city by Donahue, and at about 10:30 o'clock, on demand, the base ballists paid the driver $5 for the use of the rig. The carriage kept going, the agreement being that the visitors should be taken to the depot in time to take the 12:35 train for Chicago. Soon after 11 o'clock Donahue started for the depot with the Chicago men still in the carriage. Everything was going along smoothly until the carriage arrived in front of the Catholic Church on East North street, when suddenly and without warning Donahue was knocked off his seat by the men The blow rendered the driver senseless, and both men beat him in a cowardly manner. He received a blow on the head which made a long cut, his left eye was placed in deep mourning, and besides Donahue was kicked in the side very badly. Donahue claims that the two fellows robbed him of the five dollars they had given him and then left him in the street, while the horses moved along slowly on East North street. The team was stopped by a stranger coming west, and at Donahue's request the stranger drove the outfit to Lintner's stables. Donahue reached the up-town hotels with his head and clothes in a bloody condition. His assailants left for Chicago on the midnight train.

The above is Donahue's story, about as related to our reporter this morning. The other side of the story is to the effect that the driver and the two occupants of the rig were drunk, and that the assault was made because the driver was insolent. The assertion that Donahue was robbed is flatly denied. Donahue had plenty of time to have had his assailants arrested after he had gone to the hotels and washed off the blood that covered his face, but he made no efforts in this direction.

Found at Last.

What every one should have, and never be without, is THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL. It is thorough and safe in its effects, producing the most wondrous cures of rheumatism, neuralgia, burns, bruises, and wounds of every kind. Sold by druggists. 4

WORSE AND WORSE.

The Latest Developments in the Bond Outrage Case.

The latest news from Taylorville is to the effect that Clementi and Pettis are still in jail and that Montgomery (not the two first named) was released on bail. Montgomery started for his home Monday night after his release and somebody cried "lynch him." A crowd started after the fleeing man, but he succeeded in getting away safely and is no doubt by this time on his way west. That he was not caught is known to a certainty, as we are reliably informed to-day. The two prisoners are in jail and are under strong guard, and if necessary the Taylorville military company will come to the aid of the sheriff to protect them from any mob that may attack the jail. Gov. Cullom has notified the captain of the company to hold himself and men in readiness for duty.

NOT TOLD BEFORE.

We are credibly informed by parties acquainted with the prisoners and the Bond family that the assault on Miss Bond was the outcome of a love affair, and was done to satisfy the hellish revenge of one person who, when he found that he could not gain the affections of the young lady, planned to ruin her and blast the hopes of Mr. Adams, a young farmer, who resides in the country southeast of Decatur, to whom she is engaged to be married. It appears that Lee Pettis, one of the prisoners, desired to keep company with Miss Bond, and that she repeatedly repulsed him; that he first sent her lover-like letters to which she paid no attention; that he got Clementi and Montgomery to intercede with her in his interests, and that when he found that she was engaged to Mr. Adams, he changed his tune and began writing the young woman threatening letters and asserting boldly that Miss Bond would never marry Adams. We are also reliably informed that some one began writing threatening words on the blackboards in the school house of which Miss Bond was in charge, like the following: "Beware, young woman;" "Look out;" "Beware of your fate." The facts above stated are generally admitted as true in the neighborhood of Grove City, and there is now no doubt whatever but that the parties arrested are the scoundrels who planned and carried out the dreadful assault on Miss Bond.

Mr. Bond the father of the unfortunate girl, who will probably recover, owns a farm of 40 acres in Christian county, which was heavily mortgaged. There are four girls in the family, and to lift the debt and assist their father, these brave young women, Emma among the number, went to work and did all the work on the farm themselves, putting in the grain and harvesting the crop last season. They saved the old home place, and last fall Miss Bond, who was studious in her habits, went to Taylorville and passed a successful examination by which she obtained a certificate to teach at the Montgomery School, at $40 a month for a period of five months. She lacked but one day of completing the term when she was so villainously assaulted by the plotting wretches who so richly deserve the worst fate that can be meted out to them.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Laura Aiken returned home yesterday.

Thomas J. Hughes and family passed the 4th in Springfield.

Charles Waughop, of St. Louis, did Decatur yesterday.

Otto E. Curtis, the energetic jeweler, left for the East to-day noon, on business.

Geo. W. Downing spent the 4th in Louisville.

Aten Lytle spent the Fourth at Indianapolis.

H. C. Bradsby, Esq., of Effingham, celebrated the Fourth in Decatur.

Hon. H. D. Peters, of Monticello, was in town for a few hours to-day.

Buckingham now affiliates with that wing of the Democracy known as the Short Hairs.

Hiram Buck Prentiss and bride, of Springfield, were guests of Dr. Buck and family yesterday.

Miss Emma Bradsby will leave to-night for Ocean Grove, N. J., to spend the summer with W. H. Ennis and family.

Steve A. McWhorter and Harry Rollins arrived in the city last evening. They celebrated the glorious 4th in two cities.

Miss Hattie Brown departed yesterday for Rich Hill, Mo., where she will visit friends for some weeks. She will peruse the REPUBLICAN while absent.

Will Rodgers, son of Jacob Rodgers, who resides at 103 North Water street, has arrived home from Cambridge, Mass. He graduated from Cambridge University last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Piatt and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Milmine spent the 4th at Clinton and at Kenney. They returned home last evening in a carriage.

Mrs. Baugh and daughter Minna, of Philadelphia, aunt and cousin of Miss Annie Ferrell, are visiting in the family of W. C. Outten. They spent the Fourth in Decatur.

D. L. Hall, secretary, favors us with a complimentary invitation to the summer meeting of the Chicago Driving Park Association, which begins on July 15th and will close on the 22d at Chicago. Big trots promised.

Tom Russell, ex-walkist, is the boss fly catcher of the hardware nine; but it was a mistake, that catch of his, which gave the dry goods nine their only "goose-egg;" he didn't mean it, and therefore no further apology is necessary.

Miss Mary A. Lukens' school at Boody closed on Friday last. A splendid dinner was heartily enjoyed by scholars, parents and visitors. The programme of the afternoon consisted of dialogues, singing and recitations. At the conclusion of which Miss Lukens was the recipient of a handsome present from her pupils.

MARRIED.

In this city on July 4th, 1882, at 6:30 p. m., by D. C. Corley, J. P., at his office, MR. CHARLES H. MARTIN and MISS MARY MCNEALL, both of Decatur.

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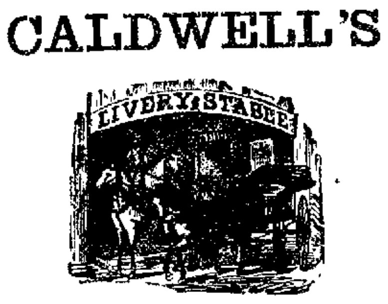

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A POPULAR TONIC

For Weak Lungs and Consumption.

No preparation ever introduced to the American public, for the relief and cure of Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Debilitated Constitution, Weakness of the Lungs, or Consumption in the incipient or advanced stages of the disease, has ever met with the indorsements of physicians or patients as the celebrated "Tolu, Rock and Rye." The repeated and continued sales of the article everywhere are the best evidence of its real merits. Letters and testimonials from every quarter of the country, attesting the stimulating, tonic and healing effects, are in possession of the proprietors, and can be adduced to convince the most skeptical reader of its intrinsic virtues. Further commendation is unnecessary and superfluous, as a trial of this article, having a pleasant taste and agreeable flavor, will satisfy all those who are afflicted or pining away with pulmonary weakness of the relief to be secured by the use of Tolu, Rock and Rye. (Chicago Times.) Jan2d6mo

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILL., JULY 5, 1882.

Editorial Excursions.

While the editorial buzzards are on the wing, and are scenting the trail of a free excursion to gather up journalistic glory, the real toilers of the field remain at home and solicit job work and subscriptions to furnish food and flannel for the children.—*Ex.*

There is an astonishingly large percentage of solid truth in the foregoing few lines from an unidentified exchange. As a general thing, when an editorial excursion, or raid, is made on the unfortunate inhabitants of a neighboring State, the editor himself, for the reasons so concisely given above, is unable to march in the procession, but he enjoys the excursion all the same. In fact, the editor who stays at home derives a great deal more solid comfort from the excursion than the editor who goes along with the mob. This may sound strange, but it is the truth, the whole truth, and we can prove it. We assert that the editor who stays at home, molding public opinion, and otherwise providing for his family, extracts more real enjoyment out of an excursion than the editor who bums over the country with the alleged excursionists, guzzling free beer, smoking free cigars, eating free meals, and having a free and easy time of it generally. We can prove what we say.

Every editorial sanctum—and by the way there are no sanctums but editorial sanctums—every editorial sanctum in the United States is infested by a so-called friend of the paper. He is a combination of the exchange fiend and the confidential bore. Every morning he drops in, hangs his feet up on the table where the exchanges are, and after he has stored his mind with useful newspaper lore, he tells the editor, confidentially, that his last week's paper was very poor; that some patrons of the paper think it was the poorest paper the editor has gotten out yet, and then he proceeds to inform the editor how the defect can be remedied. He winds up his candid criticism by telling the editor that he would not talk to him that way if he was not a friend to the paper. There are some kind of bores that can be gotten rid of, but the candid friend of the paper cannot be shaken off any more than if he was a seed tick.

Now, when the editorial excursion mania becomes epidemic, the editor takes the friend of the paper aside, and says: "I have a personal favor to ask of you. You need a rest. You are overworked. I do not care to go on this editorial excursion, but I will give you my ticket, and you go along, and represent the paper." The eyes of the combined exchange fiend, confidential bore, and candid friend of the paper, fairly sparkle with delight. He promises, with tears in his eyes, to faithfully represent the paper on the excursion, and he keeps his promise with a fidelity that excites admiration, or rather awe, whenever he has an opportunity to eat or drink. During his absence, the real editor at home, in his sanctum, enjoys a most refreshing season of unalloyed bliss. His exchanges are never interfered with, and he is not reminded that his editorials are becoming poorer and poorer every issue. It will be admitted that, by staying at home, the editor has enjoyed the excursion much more than if he had actually accompanied the raiders, because they, the raiders, or excursionists, are nearly all substitutes, similar to the one we have described. Two-thirds of the editors have sent the sanctum bore to represent them, hence, if the editor in question had gone on the excursion, he would have been in the company, day and night, of thirty or forty of the most objectionable deadbeats in the State. Looked at from this standpoint, editorial excursions are a perfect godsend to the editors, as it enables them to get rid, temporarily at least, of the objectionable devil-fish that infest almost every sanctum, and who saps the humor and energy out of some of the best and brightest intellects of the press.—*Texas Siftings.*

Do Not be Deceived

In these times of quack medicine advertisements everywhere, it is truly gratifying to find one remedy that is worthy of praise, and which really does as recommended. Electric Bitters we can vouch for as being a true and reliable remedy, and one that will do as recommended. They invariably cure stomach and liver complaints, diseases of the kidneys and urinary difficulties. We know whereof we speak, and can readily say, give them a trial. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 3

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen.

Jan. 31, '82 to March 1, '83.

Everybody Knows It.

Everybody knows what red clover is. It has been used many years by the good old German women and physicians for the blood, and is known as the best blood purifier when properly prepared. Combined with other medicinal herbs and roots it forms Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which is good for all blood disorders, torpid liver, costiveness and sick headache. Sure cure for pimples. Ask Dr. A. J. Stoner, the druggist, for it. Only 50 cents a bottle. 2

CHEAP GOODS are the result of judicious purchases from first hands, and the largest sales with the least expense. That we have attained this end is a pretty well established fact. And though we call attention in our advertisements to special articles, there are no departments and no articles in departments, from the smallest to the largest, that will not bear the same scrutiny. We hold that merchants are as much bound to adhere to the truth in their advertisements as farmers or mechanics in their business transactions; and that misrepresentations are resorted to where there is no merit, and for the purpose of deceiving the plain unsuspecting class, who can least afford the deception, which robs them of their dues. Goods constantly change in *styles* and prices, so that the *most experienced merchants* find it difficult to determine values; and the seeming artlessness which invests the ordinary buyer, or the "intelligent public" with a knowledge of merchandise, that *nine merchants in ten do not possess*, may be very flattering indeed, but this observation is only made to lull persons into security in order to practice a still greater deception. There is no law to punish dealers for representing their purchases as coming direct from *importers and manufacturers*, when the facts are against them. Nor for giving *special reasons* for marking down goods, after six weeks untiring labor, TWO HUNDRED PER CENT. BELOW COST. But the dealer who indulges in such misrepresentations on paper will do so over the counter; consequently to show courtesy where it does not belong, or to AFFECT a regard for the integrity of *all* competitors might seem very magnanimous were it not for these palpable evidences to the contrary. We invite the most critical investigation to what we say and do in DRY GOODS and CARPETS; also to every other article of merchandise composing our stock.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

March 25—d&wtf

LADIES' Kid Button Boots, soft, light sole, at BARBER & BAKER'S.

April 15—d&wtf

THE $10 Suits at Stine's M5—dtf

Pathos and Sentiment.

There is always on the stage a risk in pathetic situations, for the "illusion of the stage" is a thing so much more talked about than felt. Thus great effects in pathos are almost always reached in a single sentence, a word sometimes, even a tone, a gesture. Long speeches, protracted situations, rarely touch the heart, partly because the actors can not keep themselves for so long to the proper pitch, partly because the spectators can not keep up their sympathy so long for what they know—though a flash of genius may make them for an instant forget it—to be but fictitious woe. Thus pathos, no matter how beautiful its expression, to be truly effective on the stage, to be truly effective anywhere in fiction, should always be brief. And it should always be born, not made. Brevity and naturalness are the essential qualities of pathos. When it lacks these two it becomes sentiment. The moment we begin to reason about it, the moment we begin to ask ourselves whether this could really have happened this way or that, then we may know that pathos has left the scene and sentiment comes on. To hunt in highways and byways for a sigh, to exhaust nature and art for a tear, is the only act of the man who has no feeling for the real sorrows of humanity. Even where one finds a trace of pathos, how often does it not lose half its effect, become finally lost by repetition? The nail is hammered again and again until the head is knocked away and the point blunted. "It was always," says Falstaff, "the trick of our English nation if they have a good thing to make it too common." Yet where can one find such mastery of pathos as in him who drew "Falstaff?" All the French and German sentiment that was ever printed might be wiped off the face of the earth while there remains the

"Do not laugh at me,"

of "Lear," the

"O, Iago, the pity of it, Iago,"

of "Othello," and "Hamlet's"

"The rest is silence."

—*London Times.*

He Got Off.

It was an independent looking fellow who was standing on the railroad track, apparently paying no attention to the fact that a train was rapidly approaching. "I say," said the station master, "you had better get off that track, or you will get run over." "I fancy that is my own affair if I get run over," was the reply. "Yes, I reckon so, but who is going to attend to taking up the mess afterwards? It's not me." And reaching out his right foot, he kicked the indifferent man fifteen feet and nine inches by actual measurement.

Free of Charge.

All persons suffering from coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis, loss of voice, or any affection of the throat and lungs, are requested to call at Hubbard & Swearingen's drug store and get a trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, *free of charge*, which will convince them of its wonderful merits and show what a regular dollar-size bottle will do. Call early. 3

A Gentle Voice.

Our enterprising druggist, Dr. A. J. Stoner, has secured the agency for the sale of Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which has no superior for coughs, colds, consumption, whooping-cough, and all throat and lung diseases. To prove to you it has no equal, call at A. J. Stoner's drug store and get a bottle free. 2

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds, and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. [April 3-d&w1y

MINISTERS, Lawyers, Teachers, and others whose occupation gives but little exercise, should use Carter's Little Liver Pills for torpid liver and biliousness. One is a dose. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 30

Agents Can Make

$5 to $10 a day selling our "Ironing Board and Plaiter Combined." No capital required, and quick sales. We want agents in every town in the United States.

J. T. HAND & Co's.

march13-dmws-wtf.

WE think we can cure a bad case of Backache quicker with one of Carter's Smart Weed and Belladonna Backache Plasters, than by any other application, and after the Backache is cured, you can still wear the plaster without discomfort for two or three weeks or longer. This combination of Smart Weed and Belladonna is a great hit, and it is hard to find any pain or ache that will not yield to it. Price 25 cents. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 30

NEAT, NATTY, NOBBY is CHEAP CHARLEY'S CLOTHING.

may11 d&wtf

Bear in mind ladies, that whenever you send away for BLACK SILKS, you will pay from $5 to $10 a pattern MORE than you can buy it of

Feb. 11—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour sold here. dec18d&wtf

MEN'S fine low shoes, all styles, at 15-d&wtf BARBER & BAKER'S

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A discovery has recently been made which adds luster to the Nineteenth Century. It consists simply in an extract from the Red Clover Blossom, as extracted by J. M. Loose & Co., Monroe, Mich., who have gone into the business largely in order to supply the increasing demand. For sale by Dr. A. J. STONER.

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Feb. 3, 1882—d&w1yr

BUY your CLOTHING where they have the best assortment and LOWEST PRICES, at Cheap Charley's Renowned ONE PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE. m11-dawtf

150 PIECES new Renfrew and Canton Dress Ginghams just received, and will be sold at 9c a yard. Also, 100 pieces good Ginghams in dress styles, just received, at 8c per yard.

May 25-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

SEE the grand display of Spring and Summer Clothing at CHEAP CHARLEY'S

m11-d&wtf

TRUNKS and valises a specialty at Decatur's one-price clothing and merchant tailoring house, corner of Old Square. j14-d&wtf.

IF you want to see ALL the LEADING STYLES in STRAW and FUR HATS, Cheap Charley's is the place to find them. m11-dawtf

THE popular suits of the season, Stine's $10 Suits. M5—dtf

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May 11-d&wtf

Go to your druggist for *Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes.* For brightness and durability of color are unequaled. Color from 2 to 5 pounds. Directions in English and German. Price 15 cents.

May 23, 1882—d&wtf

We will sell Black and Colored Silks CHEAPER THAN ANY MERCHANT *in Decatur* CAN BUY THEM ON SPECIAL ORDERS. *Make a note of this, as Linn & Scruggs are responsible for what they say.* feb11d&wtf

SUITS made to order at reduced prices, in order to close our summer line of piece goods. Perfect fits guaranteed to everybody, at Fleury, the French Cutters, corner of Old Square j11-d&wtf

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Linn & Scruggs have furnished with carpets nearly every new house in Decatur within the last five years and sold more carpets *last year* than was ever sold in Decatur in one year.

Feb. 14—d&wtf

THE SPRING SUIT QUESTION.

Let us continue this subject while it is new upon your mind. Nearly every suit on hand now has come within a few weeks "Direct from our Chicago factory." New styles and shapes for men, boys and children, that will prove a genuine and agreeable surprise in many ways, fit, fabric, and particularly the price.

CHEAP CHARLEY,

The Renowned One Price Clothier.

24—d&wtf

LAKE and river fish, fresh every day, at Frank Hall's North Main street depot. Send orders by telephone.

May 6 dtf

ESPECIALLY adapted for mechanics and workingmen—the $10 all wool Suits at Stine's. M5 dtf

ORDER soft nut coal of F. D. Caldwell and he will deliver it to you nicely screened. Office with American Express Co.

March 23 dtf

Weakly Persons' Wine.

Old and infirm persons need some mild tonic or gentle stimulant, especially at this season. The wine made at Speer's Mount Prospect Vineyards, in New Jersey, called Speer's Port Grape Wine, is used by the most eminent physicians and chemists as the best tonic wine known, and is regarded as pure, and is very popular as a communion wine. It is especially beneficial for females and old people, as it contains iron from the iron in the rocky soil on which the vines grow. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. 13 d2w

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First-class ladies' clothes ironers at Norman's Steam Laundry. None but the very best need apply. 16 dtf

LEAVE orders at Cole Bros.' drug store, at the New Deming and St. Nicholas Hotels for Lintner's carriages and omnibuses. Also send orders by telephone to the office on South Main street. Calls made at all hours of the day and night. Passengers and baggage transferred to and from all trains and to all parts of the city promptly. Nov29-dtf

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MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, of all kinds, CORSET COVERS, and a Full Assortment of CHILDREN'S ROBES and LACE CAPS, all of which are offered at *extremely low prices.*

PLEASE CALL AT

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One Door West of Close, Griswold & Co.'s,

DECATUR, ILLINOIS

April 24—d&wtf

WA-HOO TONIC

DECATUR, ILL.

To any person suffering from indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaints, kidney complaints, lung troubles, skin disease or general debility arising from any cause whatever, who purchase a bottle of FLEURY'S WA-HOO TONIC, takes it according to directions (once each day at bed-time,) for one month and says benefit has not been received by its use the money will be refunded upon presentation of the bottle. Each bottle contains one quart of medicine and costs one dollar. It is unquestionably the very best tonic, blood purifier and general system renovator ever produced, and is purely vegetable. Try it, and you will be astonished at its wonderful effect upon the human system. Nine hundred and fifteen bottles have been sold at retail in the city of Springfield during the past nine weeks and all say who have tried it—"It is the best medicine we have ever used."

Made only by the

FLEURY MEDICINE CO.,

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Sold by all Druggists.

April 19, 1882.—d&w

$5 to $20 per day at home. Samples worth $5 free. Address STINSON & Co., Portland, Maine. feb24d&w

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We offer entire lot 12½ cent Lace Buntings.

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All 20 and 25 cent Lace Buntings.

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Of Dotted, Plaid and Embroidered Swisses, Victoria Lawn, Jaconet and White Goods, Hamburg Embroideries, Laces, Lace Trimmings, Ladies' Lace Collars, Ties and made-up Lace Goods, at Lowest New York prices.

40 cent frame made Lace Top Gloves at 15 cents a pair.

$1.00 Silk Lace Mitts, at [illegible] and [illegible] cents a pair.

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In Ladies' and Children's Lisle Gloves at 5 cents a pair.

Fine Hosiery Reduced.

60 and 75c Hose cut down to 50c a pair.

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In Every Department

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Special Inducements

To Cash Buyers at all times. [illegible]

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WARREN & DURFEE.

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I use none but the best material and employ only the best workmen. [illegible] Tops. I make them from the VERY BEST LEATHER. Have also the best Whip to be had in the market.

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May 15 d&wtf

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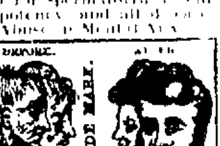

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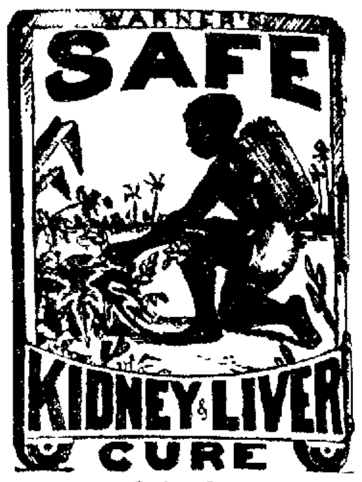

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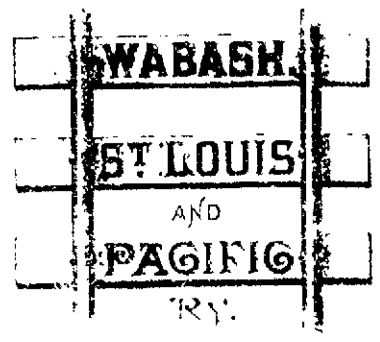

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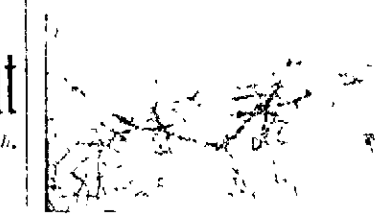

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